## Miller & Rhoads

## Prices to Clear Out Our Entire Stock of Wash Suits, Skirts and Shirtwaists.

In this sale everything in Wash Suits, Skirts and Waists is included. These values have never been equalled

\$1.35 for Wash Suits that were formerly \$7.50 to \$10.00

Eton and Pony Jacket styles, with a number of Shirt-WaistaSuits in the lot.

OC for Lawn, Mull and Madras Shirtwaists,

formerly \$1.25, \$1.48, \$1.98 and \$2.50. Long or short steeves, trimmed with lace, tucks or embroidery. A big lot to select from.

that formerly sold for \$2.69, and were extra good values at that price. Short sleeves, lace trimmed; white ground, with pink, blue or layender flowers. skirts are bands or and are in the pink, blue or layender flowers.

79c for Peter Pan Blouses & Sheer Lawn Waists

broidery; long or short sleeves. Some slightly solled. No better value ever offered in this store at the price.

98c for Figured Lawn Wash Suits. 98c for Wash Skirts formerly \$1.48, \$1.98 skirts are trimmed with straps, bands or panels of embroidery, and are made with 7, 11 and

The Committee Has 500 Water-

melons for the Em-

ployes.

Outing to Last from Early This

Morning Until Sun-

street car employes will take place today, and from 9:30 o'clock this morning

the sun. The event is being looked for-

ward to with the greatest interest and

hardest to have the affair successful and enjoyable in every respect.

The watermelon committee has put in good work, and there are fivé hundred of the big, juicy melons to be placed before the hungered.

The bachelor committee, of which Mrs. F. J. Craigle is chairman, will look after the comforts of those who have no lifepartners to care for them.

Secretary W. H. Bowden, of the Virginia Passenger and Power Y. M. C. A., is in charge of the outing.

Various Committees.

COMMITTEE WINDS UP.

Awards Contracts While Members Throw Bouquets.

the gavel.

Mr. Gunat spoke briefly in response,
and there were other short speeches.

The following contracts were awarded—
Becon, shoulders, National Packing Com-

Tell It to Justice John.

down.

## WALLACE WANTS STREET-CAR MEN'S COUNTY PRISONER PICNIC IS TO-DAY

Deputy Sheriff of Mecklenburg, N. C., Applies for Man Charged With Assault and Battery.

WORK ON JAIL BEING PUSHED NO. FEATURE IS NEGLECTED

Brick Work on Upper Stories Will Begin at Once-No New Shortage.

A young man giving his name as N. W. A young man giving his name as N. W. Wallace, Jr., deputy sheriff of Mecklen-hurz county, N. C., requested County Policeman Garnett yesterday that John Ross, alias Robert Irving, the colored escaped convict who assaulted Mary Alexander in Henrico last week, be turned aver to him to be taken back to the Tarlied State. The stranger was asked for his papers, but did not even have a letter to identify himself.

to identify himself.

It is understood that there is a reward for Ross of something over \$100, but Wallace denied this and said it amounted only

Carolina Governor with reference to the reward, and feels that it will be a big one. He is quite mystified at Wallace's

seasibling the negro woman Mary exander next Saturday. He will ap-ar before 'Squire Thomas.

No New Discovery.

No New Discovery.

The account of ex-Treasurer William H. Brauer, of Henrico, was gone through by the expert accountants, H. B. Boudar & Co., at the courthouse yesterday to seture some special data for the Commonwealth's attorney in regard to the suit which will be brought against the bondsmen of Mr. Brauer for the \$900 shortage which was discoverd in his books quite a while back.

a while back.

No new shortage or any special facts
of interest were discovered except the
data Attorney Wendenburg desired. Work on New Jail.

Work on New Jail.

The iron girders have been laid across the cement walls of the new Henrico county jail, and the contractor is now ready to begin the brickwork to complete the upper stories. It is understood that this will be pushed rapidly.

The front part of the building was rising rapidly until about two weeks ago, when the upper part of the windows was reached. Here a special shaped brick was needed to form the arches over the windows, but none had been ordered early enough beforehand, and since that time the required bricks have

since that time the required bricks have been ground to the sizes desired by hand. This has been a slow, expensive and tedious labor, and has been the only cause of delay in the erection of this part of the jail,

Never Came Back.

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Clarence W. Fauntieroy, colored, was up before Squire George Washington Thomas yesterday afternoon on the charge of receiving a watch from R. A. Burton & Co., of No. \$22 East Broad Street, to be paid for on instalments, and after the first payment never showing up again. The timeplece was valued at \$10.

The magistrate decided that thirty

at \$10.

The magistrate decided that thirty days in Jall would make the prisoner better realize the value of time.

Delarue-Streat.

A marriage license was issued at the Henrico County Courthouse yesterday morning to Mr. Edward A. Delarue and Miss Grace M. Streat.

Mr. Delarue is a well-known young hookdeeper of Richmond and is the son of Mr. Gus A. Delarue. Was Streat is a zopular young lady residing at 252 Grove Avenue.

Grove Avenue.

The following will be the ushers: John Sweeney, J. S. Manning, Robert Sheppard, Maurice A. Powers, Joseph Fasherty, and Toon Lester. Mr. Gus P. Delarue, brother of the groom, will be the best man, and Miss Kute Clarke, of New Haven, Conn., will be the maid of honor.

### Stole Jewelry.

Jennie Cook, colored, was arrested by Captain Tomilason yesterday on the charge of stealing kwelry valued at 19 from Mr. L. M. Silli and Mr. E. M. Epps, of 317 North Eleventh Street. The woman was taken to the First Po-lice Station and locked up.

# **BUSINESS MEN**

Labor Day Committees Assured That Many Places Will Closed.

Question of Where Orators Shall Stand Was Discussed.

The Committee on Arrangements, for the Laber Day celebration met again last night above Sparks' Cate, was one of the largest crowds yet in attendance.

The Committee on Finance made the applause-producing report that plonty of money was at hand, and that more could be easily secured if desired.

The chairman of the Committee on Amusements stated that he felt assured all tickets would be sold in the rafle for the slut of clothes. He also said that although there appeared to be more than erough donations, for prizes at hand, yet offers were still being made, and all the merchants seemed more than willing to help in this way.

As to Early Closing.

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The Committee on Early Closing said that present indications pointed toward every important business house in Richmond closing for at least part of the day on September 3. Nine stores have already expressed their intention of closing for half of the day. The Pabst and Schittz places will close all day, and all the other breweries will close for half the day.

It was here moved and passed that the Grounds Committee appoint men to watch the gates at Idlewood, to be relieved during the day.

Chief Marshal Blakey came in from a meeting with his sides and reported a

during the day.

Chief Marshal Blakey came in from a meeting with his sides and reported a very successful evenling. He stated that by next Monday night everything, to the smallest Item, would be settled in his department. He said that there were twenty-seven aides named on his list, but so far twelve had failed to report.

The subject of carriages for the speakers and other prominent persons in the parade was then taken up. From this somebody asked the question as to where the speakers' stand would be, and resulted in some good-humored repartee.

When Mr. John Ryall learned that the orators would speak from the stand where the free performances are given at Idlewood, he arose and objected, saying that in case that the day was as hot as yesterday that the speakers would swelter, and he suggested the porch in the rear of the rathskellar.

Chairman Mullen replied that as far as supposing the weather conditions, it might be a very cold day and the speakers would be chilled in a cool place.

"Old Apple Tree."

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Mr. Rynil then asked if a better place could not be secured, and some one suggested under the old apple tree. Mr. Ryail said that he was serious, but the matter ended with no change.

A member then proposed that Mr. Cook, of the Evening Journal, should be elected a speaker for the occasion; but Mr. Cook himself arose, and after a long address, stating his hearty good-will to make the day a big success, begged to be excused as he was a poor orator and

ward to with the greatest interest and enthusiasm, and everything is pointing to the assurance that it will be a grand success. The picnic is to be held in Westhampton Park, and the three thousand employes of the company will feast and make merry all the day long.

Everything is in readiness, as the various committees have been working their hardest to have the affair successful and enthusphic in every respect. Chairman of Williamsburg Com-

mittee Is at Murphy's.

Senator Joseph P. Sadler, of Powhatan, chairman of the logislative committee, which investigated conditions at the Eastern State Hospital a few months ago, is at Murphy's, having returned last night from Chesterfield Courthouse, where he went on legal business.

Concerning the probability of an early report, Senator Sadler said the stenographer had not yet completed writing out

make over 5,000 pages of typewritten mat

Various Committees.

The various committees on arrangements are as follows:
Bachelors' Table—Mrs. F. J. Craigle, Mrs. S. W. Huff, Mrs. J. R. Staton, Mrs. E. G. Livesay, Mrs. J. C. Bosher, Mrs. S. W. Huff, Mrs. J. R. Baton, Mrs. Gilbert Clenden, Mrs. A. R. Brandlett, Mrs. S. A. Daniel, Mrs. J. E. Browning.
Games—Mrs. D. A. Franklin, Mrs. H. B. MacLean, Mrs. Paul, Pearce, Miss Carrie Eubank.

Athletic—W. C. Graham, T. W. Madison, E. W. Morrissett, J. F. Fahr, C. R.

bers Throw Bouquets.

The Committee on Relief of the Poor held its final meeting last night at the City Home awarded contracts for supplies and heard some happy parting speeches. After the business was over, Superintendent Davis spoke of the earnestness with which the body had performed its duties, and expressed deep regret that some of the members would not be on the new committee.

Mr. John B. Minor replied in a fitting manner, and Mr. Robson offered a resolution thanking Chairman Gunst for the faithful manner in which he has wielded the gavel. afforded to the crematory on Orange, St. John and St. Paul Streets. He said

DROVE HORSE AWAY.

Small Darkey Left to Hold Horse

Now Missing-Ditto Animal. Mr. D. Howell, an aged Hanover farmer, pheared at Chief Werner's office yester-lay and stated that he had hired a small serio toy to hold his horse at Twelfth and Cary streets about 1 o'clock in the starnoon write he went to attend to one business, and when he returned he found both the horse and wagon and the Pacon, shoulders, National Packing Com-puny; flour, canned tomatoes and whiskey; I. C. Younger; lard, rice, ugar and herring, C. H. Motley Grozery Company; coffee, Aragon Coffee Company; soap, King and Company; butter, W. J. Hechler; sait, Stokes-Grindes Grocery Company; anead corn, Harvey Blair and Company; shoes, W. A. Chestwood; drugs, medicine and hospital appplies, L. Wagner Drug Company.

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September 5th-Sultry, with thunder

Beptember 9th—Clearing of showers and the hot weather will be over. Beptember 10th to 18th—Cool and easant. September 17th—Rain, followed by cold September 19th—First frost of the fall.

NEW STATION-HOUSE.

Contract Awarded to Mr. H. L Mathews-To Begin at Once. The Board of Police Commissioners mot extended afternoon at a special session in Chief Warner's office to consider the awarding of the contract for the building warding of the contract for the building awarding of the extended the new First Police Station on Broad cetween Seventeenth and Eighteenth

Streets.

After careful consideration the contract
was awarded to Mr. H. L. Mathews. It
is understood that the construction will
begin immediately. The station, which
was planned by Architect Albert F.
Hint, will be a hundsome structure, and
into the police force as well as
the city can well afford to be proud of.

RAIDED HER HOUSE.

Number of People Swear Out Warrants for Sallie Williams.

A long list of colored people swore out a warrant against Saille Williams yester-day, charging her with running a dis-orderly house at 635 Hickory Avenue. They said that gambling went on in the

place, Policemen Amos, Thurman and Pillow Policemen Amos, Thurman and Pillow Policemen Robinson and Harry Scott. Before the house was entered however, any possible signs of gaming had been removed, and they were locked up with the woman for being disorderly characters.

ATTRACTIONS FOR FAIR

Airship, Strong Man and Pretty Equestrienne Cards for Week.

Equestrienne Cards for Week.

The Virginia State Fair Association is in communication with three startling attractions for the week beginning October 8th. One is with the owner of an airship, who claims to be able to do all the things that anyone else has ever done in the air; the other is with a charming young equestrienne, who will ride against time and in full ball dress give a high school exhibition of horsemanship; the third is with a strong man, who guarantees to throw a buil weighing 1,200 pounds in fifteen minutes and then put the animal on his back and walk twenty yards.

STRUCK TROLLEY WIRE.

Lightning Burns Copper Wire as If It Were Cotton String.

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During the brief electric storm yester-day afternoon a large feed wire at Twenty-first and Main Streets, carrying many volts, was struck by lighting sing agod yard, of the wire burnt away.

The Passenger and Power Company immediately, sent men to the spot, as the two fallon ends of the wire were endangering the lives of all who passed by Pulleys were attached to each end and the wire holated, in the air until joined again.

Two Liquor Cases in Court.

Big Day at Amelia.

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Thursday will be a big day at Amelia C. H. Judge Ingraham will hold court for Judge Watson, the latter being sick at his home mear Forest Hill. The tobacco growers will have a big meeting there Thursday, and Judge Asa D. Watkins, of Farmyille; Congressman Southall and other interesting speakers will address them on the subject of organization for their mutual good.

Mr. Overby Here.

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Hon. T. A. Overby, of Blackstone, is in this city on private business. Mr. Overby thinks Major Francis Rives Lassiter, the Democratic nominee for Congress in the Fourth district, will have an easy victory at the November election, and that, indeed, he may have no opposition. Mr. Overby has a very high regard for Major Lassiter's ability and says he is very popular in all the counties of the district.

## MRS. CHRIS BAAB HAD PREMONITION

in Milwaukee, Leave Home, Says Free Press.

MAKES STATE OFFER.

Proi. De Voe Would Forecast

Weather Results for Virginia.

Professor A. G. Devos, of Hackensabk

Y has written Governor Bwanson

The Grand Aeric of Eagles where to have
sudden end. Besides his wife Mr. Baab.

Servived by two children.

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tions, which included the following for this month;
August 18th—Cool and pleasant.
August 18th—Pleasant, growing warmer,
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apell of the summer.
Beptember 4th—Very violent thunderstorms. WARM RECEPTION

"Dr. Bill" at the Casino Last Night She Makes a Hit.

FAVORITE OF GIFFEN

Miss Lovering Pretty and Attractive-Company Gave an Excellent Performance.

'Dr. Bill," a rollicksome farce comedy,

"Dr. Bill," a rollicksome farce comedy, with the ever popular Lucille La Vorne in the "star" part, made a decided hit at the Casino last night and pleased an enthusiastic crowd which filled the large play-house and laughed heartily through the three acts of fun-makins.

Miss La Verne, who won her way into the hearts of Richmond theater-goers whon she was a member of the ill-fated but excellent Giffen Company, played the part of the dashing Mrs. Harton, a lady with a theatrical past and a flirtatious present, whose laugh made the evening merry both in front and behind the footlights. One recalls the days when the clever actress did good work in "Lady Windermere's Fan," "All the Comforts of Home," "Under Two Flags," and a dozen others, but one also appreciates the fact that since her European experience, she has taken a long step to the front.

Miss Daisy, Lovering, who lately played with the Walter Edwards Company, shared the honors with Miss La Verne and looked as pretty and entioning as ever the front row "Johnnies" could desire.

Their Own Company.

Their Own Company.

The company is owned by Misses La Yerne and Lovering, who act as their own business and stage managers, and who have gotten together a capable company of intelligent actors.

As a specialty in the second act, three children—Leonie, Edna and Viola Flugrath—did some remarkably olever dancing, which the audience was quick to appreciate and which called for four encores.

Miss La Verne received a warm welcome at the hands of her friends and admirers. At the performance to-night and at to-morrow matines and night performances "Dr. Bill" will be repeated. During the rest of the week "Jane Byre" will be played, with Miss Lovering in the name part.

name part.
In speaking of Miss Lovering's acting Miss La Verne said with some warmth: "She's the best 'Jane Eyre' on the stage," and Miss Lovering would not deny the charge. The acting of Miss Hattle Neffen, who played the "eccentric old lady," was especially good and needs a word of praise, all apart.

COL HARWOOD PRAISED.

Press Compliments Richmond Business Man on Fine Work.

proving.

James Buchannan, an employe at the Locomotive Works, dropped a heavy piece of iron on his foot at 4 o'clock yesterday afterneon. Dr. Mason dressed four badly mashed toes and took him home.

Business Man on Fine Work.

Under the caption of "Colonel Harwood's Heip," the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch of a few days ago contains the following in its editorial columns:

"The T. P. A. Magazine contains a full report of the recent convention held in Buffalo, at which it was decided to hold the next annual convention in Norfolk during the Jamestown Exposition. The report says:

"More than an hour was devoted to balloting for the city for next year's annual convention. There was a slumpin San Antonio stock; Denver had weak support; Asheville, N. C., retained the strength it had all the week; Atlantic City got one lone vote, and Norfolk, Va., through the hustle put up by its delegates at the eleventh hour, landed the plum.

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"'A very stout gentleman, whose name is hard to pronounce, got in his insidious work at the last moment, and stampeded the convention with his word pictures of the beauty of the Virginia resort. His subtia references to soft-shelled crabs, live broiled lobsters, delicate terrupin, and a panorama of Uncle San's warships in Hampton Roads was just the thing to renew the enthusiasm of the delegates, and Norfolk got the persimmon in a justy.'

"The very stout man," whose eloquence did valiant service for Norfolk, was Colonel John S. Harwood, of Richmond, chairman of the National Legislative Committee of the T. P. A., and a former member of the Virginia Legislature.

"Colonel Harwood is one of the leading business men of Richmond, and an agreeable and companionable gentleman, Norfolk tenders him thanks for his timely speech in her behalf."

AT THE HOTELS.

Registered Here Last Night.

Following were among the guests registered at the various hotels last night:
Lexington—J. D. Munford, Freemont,
N. C.; C. B. Coates, Atlanta, Ga.; H. C.
Davis, Washington, D. C.; W. A. Jacobs,
Sabot, Va.; R. T. Manning, Winterville,
N. C.; E. C. Arnett, Danville; J. W.
Enre Petersburg; D. Done, Rocky Mount,
N. C.; W. R. Farker, Greenville, N. C.;
J. T. Levs, North Carolina; B. G. Bmith
and wife, Norfolk; Ada Sayers, Norfolk;
Edgar Copenhaver, Marion, 'Va; Earl
Harrington, Greenville, N. C.; H. M.
Walker, Butterworth, Va.; R. J. Little,
N. C.; C. B. Good, Amelia, Va.; R. B.
Dunn, Kinston, N. C.; W. H. Cox, North
Carolina.

The Richmond—G. H. Corbett, Wilmington, N. C.; Tom H. Hutebisco, Var-

Dunn, Kinston, N. C.; W. H. Cox, North Carolina.

The Richmond—G. H. Corbett, Wilmington, N. C.; Tom H. Hutchison, Lumberton, N. C.; Mrs. Charles Marshall, Mississippi; F. P. Webster, F. P. Webster, Jr., Goshen; J. C. Jones Charleston, W. Va.; Henry Clark, Bridges, N. C.; Frank B. Sutton, Minneapolis; T. D. Ranson, Staunton, Va.

Murphy's—J. P. Gustaveson, Miss Hatle Gustaveson, Miss Vera Gustaveson, John W. Gustaveson, Norfolk; James P. Woods, Roanoke; Mrs. L. P. Morse, Washington, D. C.; E. L. Hassell, Duke, N. C.; H. W. Curry, Kinston, N. C.; J. A. Walker, Dallas, Tex.; G. T. Ford, Washington, D. C.; James P. Sadler, Powhatan.

Jefferson—Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bateman, Baltimore; B. Hymans, New York; Mrs. A. C. Bierne, Nashville, Tenn.; W. G. Dunnington, Farmyllle, Va.; L. Borshers, Virginia; E. M. Farker and Wife, Philiadelphia; W. H. Guyer, New York.

BIJOU SEASON TO OPEN.

Labor Day Matinee Will Be First Offering of Coming Season.

The Bijou Theatre will be opened for the winter season on Labor Day, Monday, September 3rd, when a matince will be played. Manager Charles Isadore McKee is as busy as a bee, getting everything in readiness, and the snug play-house has been made as freeh as paint could make it.

A NEEDED REST.

Pastor B. H. Melton Will Spend Three Days in Louisa.

the city Thursday evening and will fill his pulpit Sunday morning.

Rev. F. A. Cave, for five years pastur of the Third Christian Church, this city, will reach Richmond next Thursday and will preach hext Sunday morning and evening at the Third Christian Church, M. Cave is now pastor of the Christian Church, Maysville, Ky.

### LIST OF PRIZES.

Firemen's Convention Program Has Now Been Completed.

The State Firemen's Convention, which begins here to-morrow, promises to be a great success. The official program, with the exception of the list of prizes to be awarded, has already been printed. Here is the latter:

1. Largest and best appearing uniformed company in parade, \$100.

2. Next largest and bast appearing uniformed company in parade, \$50.

3. Hose race contest—free for all—first prize, \$150.

8. Hose race contest—free for all—first prize, \$150,
4. Hose race contest—free for all—second prize, \$100,
5. Hose race—association—companies only—first prize, \$100. (Also custedy of trumpet.)
6. Hose race—association companies only—second prize, \$50,
7. Hose race—association companies only—third prize, \$25,
8. Finest uniformed band attending any association company, \$50,
9. Second best uniformed band attending any association company, \$25,
And in addition the management of diswood offer two prizes for band conducts, to be determined upon their musical qualifications.

Assaulted His Wife.

Property Transfers.

Richmond—John B. and Agnes E. Webner and Mary W. Ross to R. C. Jackson's
rustee, 18 feet on east side First Street,
10. 001 North, 31,850.
Ashton Starke and wife to Helen B.
ettway, 25-12 feet on west side of First
treet, southwest corner of Cary Street,
1,750.

C. Sheppard and wife to J. J. Pol-irustee, 331-3 feet on east line of enty-seventh Street, 642-3 feet north of Street, \$500. Tother Forgusson and wife to H. A. Jurdy, trustee, 45 feet on north line of te Street, between Marshall and Union tets, Fulton, \$100.

Charters Granted.

Reduce Admission Price.

Reduce Admission Price,
Beginning Wednesday, August 22, the admission to Idlewood will be changed from ten to five cents, and the coupon tickets will be discontinued. The management, after due and careful consideration, have adopted this plan in order to abolish a great many complications and inconveniences, and have discovered excellent reusons for the change.

The attractions on the Stadium, moving pictures, fireworks and other exhibitions will continue free to the patrons, and these, with the excellent music furnished by the management, will be ample inducement to citizens to visit the Park Beautiful.

All outstanding coupons will be honored the same as in the past,
The five-cent admission will include Sundays, and no charge at any time until 6 P. M.

Edward Joinson, colored, was in the Police Court yesterday charged with clubbing his wife, Mary, nearly to death Saturday night. The woman screamed aloud in her agony, and her brother near did not make any attempt to stop the assault. Policeman Shoemaker, however, heard the woman's cries and hastened to the scene. He arrived in time to catch Johnson, and took him to the station house. house.

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The peace of \$500 to keep the peace.

The fall term of the State Supremourt will begin at Staunton on Septemer th. The docket is short, and the arm will probably not last more than a

Three Young Boys Defended by

The State Corporation Commission has granted the following charters; W. S. Barrett Company (Incorporated), Dendron. W. S. Barrett, president, H. A. Booth, secretary and treasurer, both of Dendron; J. B. Barrett, vice-president, Otterdam. Capital stock, 115,000.

The Bank of Cheriton (Incorporated), Cheriton. J. Gates Goode, George W. Huff, Cheriton; Samuel Townsend, Capeville; Marrion Scott, Seaview W. M. Upshur, president, Cheriton; Sarview W. M. Nottingham, Eastville; W. D. Nottingham, Chespaiside. Capital, \$60.06. PARTY LEADERS ARE BOOMING R. P. BRUCE

Secretary Joseph Button, of the Democratic Committee, Says the Chances Are Fine.

"I believe we have splendid prospects

for carrying the Ninth District for Con-gress this fall," said Colonel Joseph Butgress this fail," said Colonel Joseph Button, secretary of the State Democratic Committee, at Murphy's last night.

"I hear nothing but confident talk from the Democrate out that way," he continued, "and everything is looking our way at the start. The nomination of former Senator Bruce was a strong move, in my judgment, for I know him to be popular with all classes. He is an ideal man, and will conduct a great fight."

Colonel Button expressed the belief that Mr. Bruce would have the undivided support of his own party, both in and out of the district, and that good reports would come from the mountains on the day of election.

Senate Clerk Thomas A. Lynch, of

come from the mountains on the day of election.

Senate Clerk Thomas A. Lynch, of Tazewell, who is a member of the Ninth District Democratic Committee and an active party leader, is still in the city. When seen last night regarding the political situation in the Southwest, Mr. Lynch said he was happy over the outlook, "The nomination of Senator Bruce could not have been improved upon," he said. "If Bruce can't win, then no one could. We have our fighting clothes on, and I feel that our prospects of success are brighter than in many years. We are certainly going to put up the best possible battle which it is in our power to make."

## THE NEW OFFICES AT BHOAD STREE

R., F. & P. Freight Depot Will Gain Increased Floor

NEW SHOPS AT HERMITAGE

President Hawley, of Colorado and Southern, Says His Road Will Not Sell Out.

President George W. Stevens, of the Chesapeake and Ohio, was in New York on yestorday, General Manager C. E. Doyle, of the Chesapeake and Ohio, who has been North on his holiday, is expected home toods.

North on his holiday, is expected nome to-day.

General Solicitor Henry Wickham will return to-morrow.

The new brick and stone two-story freight office connected with the Broad Street depot of the Richmond, Fredericksburg and Potomac is about completed. It will give considerable additional space for the handling of treight, for the old offices will be thrown into the depot of

oct.
The Richmond, Fredericksburg and
Potomac has lately built a new machine
shop at the Hermilage yards.

The Sunday school of Sacred Heart Church will hold its outing to West Point to-morrow, leaving the Southern depot here at \$130 A. M. As a large altendance. is expected, ample extracted will be held in readiness to be added if necessary, and all arrangements have been made for the entertainment of the visitors at the park.

H.750.

Henrico-Mary J. and William Snellings to H. R. Pollard, trustee, 69 feet on south line of Beverly Street, 125 feet west of Carter Street, 550.

Henry S. Montgomery to E. A. Catlin, rustee, 39 3-4 feet on west line of Park Street, 140 feet south of Floyd Avenue, 344.

BROKE INTO STORE.

Messrs. Richardson and Glenn.

Sherman Buckley, Eldridge Greentree and Robert Clayton, three boys, appeared in the Police Court yesterday morning on the charge of entering the store on Ventable Street Sunday atternoon about 3 o'clock. The smallest boy, Sherman, was in the istore piling up a lot of cigarettos, and the other two were on the outside acting as lookouts. They were discovered by the son of the proprietor. They had a false key with which to enter.

Messrs. D. C. Richardson and Harry Glenn were in the Police Court, and they undertook to defend the boys. The younger one, who was in the store, was immune on account of his age, 10 years, and there was little evidence to convict the others. Both lawvers put up an elequent plea, and Justlee Graves ist the boys go with a warning.

For Stealing Bicycles.

Frank Fields, colored, was arrested by
Brank Fields, colored, was arrested by
Brocke Policeman Wiley yesterday morning on the charge of stealing a blevole
valued at \$0 from R. P. Johnson. The
property was recovered by the officer.
It was later learned that another inrycle had been sold in the country by
Fleids, and the policeman left yesterday
afternoon to try and locate it.

Travelers' Building.

Travelers' Building,
The Virginia division of the Travelers' Protective Association has filed a rennest with the management of the Jamestown Excosition Company asking permission to build an association house on the grounds. The association house on the grounds the Virginia, Missouri and Pennsylvania State buildings and it is proposed to have the building large cough to accommodate the association convention, which is scheduled to meet there next year.

Watch This Column Daily for a NEW TESTIMONIAL as to the wonderful CURES effected by THE MECKLENBURG MINERAL WATERS,

Chase City, Va. Others tell what their waters are; we show what ours do. These are no FAN: CIES. These are FACTS. Let those who were cured speak for themselves.

LISTEN

Dr. DeVilbis, of Toledo, O., writes us;
That he used the Mecklenburg Chlorida
Calcium Water in a case of Peritonitis
in Fort Wayne, Ind., with excellent resulus; and he thinks the water a most
remarkable one.

Tell It to Justice John.

The woman was taken to the First Police Station and locked up.

Will Meet To-Morrow.

The State Board of Pisheries will meet at Hampton to-morrow. The body will meet the Maryland Commission on Friday on the Potomac River, where the cyster situation with reference to the two River will be Alsoussed.

# TAKE HOLIDAY

AS TO SPEAKERS AND AIDES

Aides Absent.

As to Early Closing.

excused as he was a poor orator and could express his sentiments to a better

advantage through his paper.

After the further discussion of union matters the meeting was adjourned. SENATOR SADLER HERE.

mittee Is at Murphy's.

Carrie Eubank.

Athletic—W. C. Graham, T. W. Madison, E. W. Morrissett, J. F. Fahr, C. R.
Anderson, P. Keppler.

'Amusement Tickets—H. C. Alexander.
Charles Clinely.
Merry-Go-Round—W. S. Brinkley, E.
T. Dunn, J. C. Adams, W. L. Haynes,
W. P. Burchett, J. W. Archer.
Bowling Alleys—Walter Ford, W. H.
Heinzman, C. B. Puckett, T. E. Hall,
J. E. Jackson, H. W. Barker.
Shooting Gallery—A. T. Johns, G. D.
Osborn.
Boats—L. M. Austin, E. P. Wooters,
G. E. Browning, J. B. Traylor.
Lemonade and Watermelon—George
Gill, P. Triplet. as to Local Conditions.

The Street Committee held an adjourned meeting yesterday afternoon, and disposed of a good deal of work, but most of it was of a routine nature.

Many citizens were present asking that alleys be graded, sewers laid, etc., but most of these matters were either referred to the ward committees or to the City Engineer for reports later on.

Some other subjects which were discussed went over for action by the new Council, the present body being now practically in its dying hours.

Superintendent Henry Cohn appeared and asked that better approaches be afforded to the crematory on Orange.

pt\_sent conditions were dangerous both to the men and mules. The matter went gover for action by the new Council.

There was a large attendance of the members, and a number of citizens were

Loath to Let Husband, Who Died

The Milwaukee Free Press of August 18th has the following account of the death of Mr. Christian Baab, which occurred in that city August 17th, asserting that Mrs. Baab had a premonition of her husband's death:

Mrs. Chris Baab, Richmond, Va., is said to have had a premonition of the death of her husband, who succumbed to asthma yesterday in his room at the Hotel Blatz. Mr. Baab was in Milwaukee attending the Engles' convention. His widow is at home.

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For years Mr. Baab had suffered from asthma. When he left his home in Richmond a week ago to-day he was in his usual health, but his wife is said to have remarked that she wished he wouldn't go away from home, for she was afraid something would happen to him. When the train carrying a delegation of twenty-five Eagles of Aerle No. 33 pulled out of Richmond Arts. Baab was loath to leave her husband. She tried to dissuade him from coming to Milwaukee. Her farewell lasted utili the train was more than a mile out of the city and she was heling carried rapidly northward with Mr. Baab. The train was stopped, however, to let her off to return to her home. Mr. Baab took part in the parade of Eagles on Thursday afternoon, and he was affected by the excessive heat. He retired to his room at the Hotel Blatz, where he was attended by Dr. Norman Homman and apparently was recovering, when he suffered a relapse which resulted in his death shortly after 9 o'clock yeaterday morning.

The body was taken to C. Ir. Truesdell's undertaking rooms, 511 Broadway, where services will be held at 8 o'clock this morning by the Richmond Eagles, and a brass band and the train carrying the scrowding 'Viginlans and their dead brother will leave for the South at 9:10 o'clock, The Richmond Eagles were to have

Some of the Guests Who Were Registered Here Last Night.

Rev. B. H. Melton, pastor of the Marshall Street Christian Church, will spend three days of this week in Louisa, Va., taking a much needed rest. His work in the city this summer has been unusually taxing. Just before leaving the city Mr. Melton had conducted fifteen funeral services in twelve days. He will return to make."